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LOCALETS

Ratepayers of the Municipal District of Clifton might well give serious study to the auditor's report appearing in this issue. The outstanding indebtedness for seed grain, relief and all other taxes places the affairs of the district into the three hundred thousand dollar class. No wonder the councillors scratch their heads. It will take a good many crops of wheat to clear off the books.

The annual ratepayers meeting held in Travers on Saturday went off without any great commotion. Discussion was largely around the appointment of a medical doctor and the advantages to be obtained by stationing said doctor at Travers and moving the municipal office there too. Outside of that there was but little criticism of the general policy pursued by the council. In the nominations, Councillor Talbot was returned by acclamation in his division, Councillor Buhlinger has a contest on his hands in division 2, W. E. Pate being nominated to oppose him. In division 5 Reeve Rodgers is standing opposed by Robt. Steeves of Yetwood. A good deal of speculation is being voiced as to the outcome, but it is generally conceded

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Commissioner

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JOHN HOLO

that Rodgers has an outstanding record in the conduct of the affairs of the municipal district that entitles him to a further expression of confidence, while Steeve exerts a certain pull in the faction that favors centralization at Travers. Buhlinger and Pate are staging a real hot battle with odds running even.

When information was tendered the gathering that the government would authorize no further seed grain advances there was a prolonged cheering but whether it was ironical to the situation or from appreciation of the evils of the previous policy of generosity, we are not in a position to interpret the feelings of the people.

Polling will take place on Saturday, Feb. 24th. The poll in division 2 will be presided over by Sidney Thurlow at his premises on Sec. 35-14-20. The poll in division 5 will be held in the municipal office, Lomond, and will be presided over by J. R. McKay, the returning officer for this election.

On Tuesday evening, the 6th., the Rebekahs and Ladies' Aid Society united in tendering Mrs. Teskey a very pleasant farewell social evening. Lodge ceremonies were quickly disposed of and the ladies who were not members of the order had assembled in readiness in a nearby house and all met together in the I.O.O.F. Hall. A merry program of music and games was indulged in and refreshments served. The guest of honor was presented with a beautiful piece of cut glass as a token of esteem.

J.C. Jensen is home from the Lethbridge hospital where he underwent a serious operation, and while he is not just exactly hale and hearty, he is at least able to drive into town from his home on the farm.

Frank Newton who had spent the past summer working at Dryden, Ont., later going to Woodstock on a visit to his former home, has returned to Lomond, bringing with him his daughter, Miss Jessie, who had spent the past two years in Ontario with relatives at Woodstock.

Mrs. H. Jewsbury of Armada who had the misfortune to sustain a fractured ankle at the time the Chautauqua was held in Lomond last summer, is being removed to the Medicine Hat hospital to undergo further treatment, as she has not yet been able to use the injured member.

Mrs. Earl Woodley of Eatinance, Alta., has been visiting for the past few weeks with her sisters at Lomond, Mrs. H. N. Hanna and Mrs. A.R. Hanna.

George Hauger has returned to his home at Badger Lake after spending the winter at work in the B.C. lumber camps.

The Consolidated School bye election made necessary by the resignation of W. A. Teskey resulted in the return of H. N. Hanna, he defeating R. L. King on a vote of 25 to 17.

The Municipal District of Clifton laid a complaint against O. R. Olson, alleging wrongful disposal of wheat secured from the Municipal District for seed. Forty bushels were sold to the Ogilvie Company at Lomond. The case was heard before W. H. Adair, J.P., at Travers. The accused pleaded guilty and was ordered to make restitution for the amount in question to the Municipal District, to pay the costs of court and a suspended sentence was imposed for a period of three months.

Dr. J. S. McPherson has decided to close up his practice at Lomond and with his family will leave on March 7th. for St. John, N. B., where they will embark for London, Eng.

John Lamond, who for the past four years has been working in the Lomond district, is back again this spring and with Andy Tulloch.

The entire community was shocked on Thursday, Feb. 8th., by the sudden death from diphtheria of Ross Perrin, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Perrin of the C. P. R. depot at Travers. The deceased had attended school at the first of the week and the rapidity with which the disease developed might well have created alarm. In an effort to save the boys

life an operation was performed on the throat by Dr. Bardon of Retlaw, assisted by Dr. McPherson of Lomond, but to no avail. The funeral was held on Saturday, interment being made in the Travers cemetery. Rev. F. Forster of Lomond conducted the services.

Henry Rowe went to Calgary to attend the annual convention of school trustees and on the one trip is undergoing repairs in the Calgary hospital.

H. E. Elves received word on Friday afternoon that his sister-in-law, Mrs. R. L. Elves, had died at her home in Vulcan, after being unconscious for two days, presumably suffering from sleeping sickness. Deceased leaves one child about two years old. Mrs. H.E. Elves who was in Calgary at the time, went from there to Vulcan to attend the funeral.

An engineer unaccustomed to the roundhouse conveniences at Lomond awakened to find his go-devil frozen to the track. As a consequence the train was some two hours late in making a get-away. After the burning of generous quantities of oil the ice was melted away and the train released.

EYREMORE CIRCUIT

Arrangements are being made for social evenings with lantern slides and refreshments at Adler on Tuesday evening, February 20th, and at Badger Lake on Wednesday evening, February 21st. The date for Midway will be announced later. Slides for exhibition comprise two sets, "Wonders of the World" which includes 60 colored slides of real merit, and "Peter Pan" with 40 colored slides to illustrate this new fairy tale. For a community social, good entertainment, hearty singing, games for all, as well as refreshments, keep above dates in mind.

Communion service at Badger Lake and Adler on Sunday, February 18. Other preaching days, March 4th and March 18, etc.

To Parents



OPEN a Savings Account in this Bank for each child the year it is born. Make small deposits regularly, and when college days come, the requisite funds are ready, and the education will not be a drain on the family purse.

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STANDARD BANK
OF CANADA

TOTAL ASSETS OVER EIGHTY-THREE MILLIONS

Lomond Branch, - - - R. T. M. Temple, Manager.
Travers Branch, - - - J. H. Olver, Manager.

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LOMOND ALBERTA

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RAE L. KING, PROP.

LOMOND ALBERTA, FEB. 16, 1922

NOTES

The Press is reliably informed that the C.P.R. is considering the completion of the Lomond-Blackie extension this year. Boards of trade, councils, U. F. A. locals and all public organizations should rush representations in to the proper authorities before March 1st. Here is some cause for action on the part of the Lomond Board of Trade.

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Now that there is a few days of warm weather and there are signs of spring in the distance. Frank Vickers is overhauling his fishing tackle and looking longingly towards Lake Newell.

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The Piccarillos have been granted a month's reprieve on their death sentence in order to press their claim for a new trial before the supreme court of Canada. In the meantime the widow of the late Cons Lawson is proposing a fifty thousand dollar damage action against the Piccarillo estate.

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The mortgage sale which took place at Lomond on the third was not nearly as interesting as the average marriage ceremony. The auctioneer waded through his laborious ritual asked for the unexpected, and we presume proceeded to make up his expense sheet. As a result we have a large financial institution as a partner to our distress.

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The Press has to hand another interesting communication as a sequel to that of Mr. Forster's, which will be published in the next issue.

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It is said that some mortgage companies are withdrawing from Alberta because provincial laws do not afford them adequate protection. This is not so serious as it may seem. Capital will not long overlook the opportunity for profitable investment. When prosperity again comes this way capital will be tagging along at its heels.

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The Alberta government is faced with the problem of presenting a beer plebescite before the people of the province. As none of the private members would take the responsibility of introducing the bill, which comes under the direct legislation regulations, the premier himself presented the bill to the house. The cost of taking the vote will be at least two hundred thousand dollars. The Press doubts very much that people will again sanction the

public sale of eleven beers and light wines. While there has been manifested a considerable dissatisfaction over the result of the present Liquor Act it came largely as a result of the wholesale prostitution of the Act's privileges on the part of the medical profession, as well as from a flagrant disregard of the Act by the booze interests in general. A gradual cleaning up of the mess of administration has greatly strengthened the attitude of the public in favor of the prohibition measure. Manitoba is experiencing the same difficulties as Alberta.

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No one can mistake the fact that the farmers want a wheat board. As it stands the organized grain trade has undertaken to convince the farmers that they are on the wrong track. Of course, it would not be fair to suggest that the arguments of the organized grain trade would be contaminated by prejudice.

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Little Willie: "Pa! What is a mixed farmer?"

Pa: "A farmer who gets all tangled up in trying to follow all the advice that is handed out to him."

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Furniture, Paints, Etc.,

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L. H. Phillips

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Elliott, Argue & Co.

Auditor's Financial Statement and Annual Returns of the MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF CLIFTON, No. 127 For the Year 1922

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31st., 1922

RECEIPTS

| | |
|--|----------------------|
| Balance from Previous Year Computed as Follows— | |
| Credit Balance as per Bank Pass Books at | |
| Dec. 31st, 1921 | \$21,729.74 |
| Cash on Hand at Dec. 31, 1921 | 3,596.40 |
| | 25,326.14 |
| Less Total Cheques O'd'g at Dec. 31, 1921 | 13,154.77 |
| | 12,171.37 |
| Municipal Taxes | 10,492.34 |
| Supplementary Revenue Taxes | 3,543.15 |
| Wild Lands Taxes | 723.04 |
| Educational Taxes | 451.90 |
| School Taxes | 9,272.98 |
| Hall Insurance Taxes | 349.83 |
| Patriotic Taxes | 44.33 |
| Destruction of Pests and Weeds | 75.06 |
| Advances Repaid During Current Year for | |
| Seed Grain— | |
| Feed and Relief— | |
| on 1920 and Prev. Loans | \$1,313.19 \$ 254.73 |
| on 1921 | 405.52 45.31 |
| on 1922 | 725.02 1,585.33 |
| Loans for Current Year Only—Seed Grain | 20,003.68 |
| —Feed and Relief | 20,003.70 |
| Renewals During Current Year—Seed Grain | 28,000.07 |
| —Feed and Relief | 8,689.75 |
| Cash Sales—Seed Grain | \$ 211.00 |
| —Feed | 5,737.50 |
| —Grasshopper Account | 28.45 |
| | 5,979.95 |
| Exchange | 20.88 |
| Tax Certificate Fees | 14.25 |
| Commission from Dept. Mun. Affairs for Taxes Coll'd. | 492.11 |
| " " Schools | 75.12 |
| Refunds | 70.93 |
| Tax Sale Proceeds as Follows—Costs | 81.50 |
| " " Redemption Certificates | 14.25 |
| " " Penalties to Redeem | 446.92 |
| | 461.17 |
| Premium on M. O. 31, Telephones L10, Stamps 40 | 2.31 |
| Account Transfers | 12,981.94 |
| Government Supplies | 2.00 |
| Pound Sales | 9.00 |
| Rent of Office—Lomond Con. School District | 72.00 |
| " Village of Lomond | 18.00 |
| Overpayments | 7.35 |
| Government Grant for Roads | 1,000.00 |
| Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31, 1922— | |
| For Current Year | 858.41 |
| For Previous Years | 245.14 |
| | 1,103.55 |
| TOTAL | \$163,593.64 |

ASSETS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1922— | |
| Total Bank Balances as per Pass Books | 11,521.68 |
| Cash on Hand | 884.78 |
| Uncollected—Municipal Taxes | 12,406.46 |
| " Supplementary Revenue Taxes | 40,995.51 |
| " Wild Lands Taxes | 15,518.46 |
| " Educational Taxes | 1,244.34 |
| " School Taxes | 2,917.87 |
| " Hall Insurance Taxes | 44,068.93 |
| " Patriotic Taxes | 3,637.11 |
| " Destruction of Pests & Weeds | 126.04 |
| Advances to School Districts in Excess of Collections | 288.92 |
| Advances Uncollected—Seed Grain | 3,178.90 |
| " " Feed and Relief | 153,547.24 |
| Office Furniture and Fixtures | 64,472.30 |
| Machinery and Tools | 750.00 |
| Commission due on Taxes Collected | 1,820.00 |
| Grasshopper Bait Accounts Payable—Dept. Municipal | 159.58 |
| Affairs for Local Improvement Districts \$266.12, | |
| Harmony Mun. Dis. \$2.64, Marquis Mun. Dis. \$26.54 | 285.30 |
| Culverts on Hand | 750.00 |
| Amount Due for Hay | 737.02 |
| Hay on Hand, 50 tons | 1,000.00 |
| Other Supplies on Hand—Bran \$250, Salts \$30.00, Mol- | |
| asses \$10.50, Arsenic \$30.00 | 320.50 |
| TOTAL | \$354,164.54 |

DISBURSEMENTS

| | |
|--|--------------|
| Paid Department of Municipal Affairs— | |
| Supplementary Revenue Taxes | 6,382.22 |
| Wild Lands Taxes | 3,882.94 |
| Educational Taxes | 921.21 |
| Paid School Boards on School Estimates (or Coll.) | 6,461.42 |
| Paid Hall Board on Hall Insurance Levy | 449.14 |
| Destruction of Pests and Weeds | 1,033.40 |
| Municipal Loan—Principal \$4,306.53, Interest \$403.47 | 4,710.00 |
| Renewals During Current Year—Seed Grain | 28,000.07 |
| " " —Feed and Relief | 8,689.75 |
| Salaries—Secretary-Treasurer | 1,487.50 |
| " —Auditor | 300.00 |
| Councillors' Fees for Council Meetings, Attendance | |
| and Mileage | 474.90 |
| For Supervision of Roads | 291.16 |
| Secretary-Treasurer's Bond | 19.00 |
| Rent for Office and Council Meetings | 292.00 |
| Postage, Stationery and Office Supplies | 763.60 |
| Delegates Expenses and Membership Fee | 76.00 |
| Election Expenses | 153.40 |
| Labor | 1,870.46 |
| Machinery and Repairs | 39.25 |
| Material | 400.00 |
| Purchases—Seed Grain | 19,436.50 |
| " Feed and Relief | 47,478.00 |
| Refunds | 505.94 |
| Public Health | 3,081.15 |
| Exchange | 27.58 |
| Bank Charges | 9.29 |
| Affidavits | 4.75 |
| Workmen's Compensation Board | 33.00 |
| Mothers' Allowances | 70.00 |
| Committees | 89.00 |
| Insurance | 29.28 |
| Legal Expenses | 5.00 |
| Telephones | 76.30 |
| Returned Cheque | 8.05 |
| Account Transfers | 12,981.94 |
| Trips to Travers (Secretary) | 123.00 |
| Secretarial Assistance | 236.04 |
| Pounds, Charges in Excess of Receipts | 71.34 |
| Cemeteries (Lomond) | 5.00 |
| Gasoline Engine | 87.36 |
| Credit Balances at Dec. 31st., 1922, as per Bank | |
| Pass Books— | |
| General Municipal Acct. | \$3,903.19 |
| Provincial Taxes Trust Acct. | 1,618.08 |
| School Taxes Trust Acct. | 537.97 |
| Hall Insurance Tax Trust Acct. | 36.00 |
| Seed Grain, Feed and Relief Acct. | 5,426.44 |
| Total Bank Balances | 11,521.68 |
| Cash on Hand | 884.78 |
| | 12,406.46 |
| TOTAL | \$163,593.64 |

LIABILITIES

| | |
|---|--------------|
| Total Outstanding Cheques at Dec. 31st., 1922 | 1,103.55 |
| Uncollected—Supplementary Revenue Taxes | 15,518.46 |
| " Wild Lands Taxes | 1,244.34 |
| " Educational Taxes | 2,917.87 |
| " School Taxes | 44,068.93 |
| " Hall Insurance Taxes | 3,637.11 |
| " Patriotic Taxes | 126.04 |
| Due Patriotic Fund, Patriotic Tax Collections | 530.53 |
| Due Department—Supp. Revenue Tax Collections | 991.94 |
| " Wild Lands Tax Collections | 543.60 |
| " Educational Tax Collections | 161.85 |
| Due School Districts on Collections | 1,161.45 |
| Due Hall Insurance Board | 36.00 |
| Loans Outstanding at Dec. 31st., 1922— | |
| Municipal Account, Principal and Interest | 2,316.70 |
| Seed Grain Account, Principal and Interest | 180,722.57 |
| Feed and Relief Account, Principal and Interest | 55,069.63 |
| Salaries | 137.50 |
| Councillors' Fees | 18.50 |
| Labor | 1,491.61 |
| Machinery and Supplies | 1,020.84 |
| Grasshopper Bait Material—Department of Agriculture | |
| \$1308.87, Harmony Mun Dis. \$13.20, Marquis | |
| Mun. Dis. \$1.29 | 1,323.36 |
| Due Provincial Government for Hay | 7,904.84 |
| Grasshopper Bait Distribution | 232.25 |
| Repairs | 27.60 |
| Mothers' Allowance | 17.50 |
| Printing | 57.80 |
| Lumber | 22.55 |
| Grasshopper Bait Mixer | 80.00 |
| Secretarial Assistance | 27.21 |
| Sundry Accounts | 9.00 |
| Balance Assets Over Liabilities | 31,583.41 |
| TOTAL | \$354,164.54 |

I hereby Certify to the Correctness
of this Statement. Dated at Lomond
this 10th. day of February, 1923.

[Signed]

ALFRED WALKER, Sec.-Treas.
ANDREW W. TULLOCH, Auditor.

NOTICE

You are hereby reminded
that a meeting of the Elec-
tors of the Municipal District
of Clifton, No. 127, will be
held in the U. F. A. Hall at
Travers, commencing at one
o'clock in the afternoon on
SATURDAY, FEB. 17 th.,
1923, for the discussion of the
affairs of the District, and the
nomination of candidates for
the office of Councillors in
Divisions 2, 3 and 5, and that
such nominations will be
there and then received from
the hour of three o'clock until
the hour of four o'clock in
the afternoon.

MEMORANDUM OF EQUIPMENT

| | |
|--|-----------|
| Municipal Office Equipment— | |
| Counters | 1 |
| Safes | 1 |
| Chairs | 3 |
| Adding Machines | 1 |
| Typewriters | 1 |
| Tables | 1 |
| Gas Lamps | 1 |
| Stools | 1 |
| —Value | \$750.00 |
| Culverts—Value | 750.00 |
| Other Equipment— | |
| Grasshopper Bait Mixers | 3 |
| Road Graders | 2 |
| Fresnos | 16 |
| Slush Scrapers | 9 |
| Ploughs | 9 |
| Gasoline Engine, 3 h.p. | 1 |
| Road Drags | 6 |
| —Estimated Value | \$1820.00 |
| Total Value of Office Equipment, Material, Road Machinery, Tools, Etc. | \$3320.00 |

Number of Resident Farm-
ers in District - 350

Estimated Population of
District - 1400

PROVINCIAL TAXES

HAIL INSURANCE TAXES

SCHOOL TAXES

ARREARS OF TAXES OF CONSOLIDATED AND VILLAGE SCHOOL DISTRICTS FOR COLLECTION UNDER "THE TAX RECOVERY ACT".

20 Included in the undernoted payments to School Districts are the amounts retained by the Municipal District as commission on collections in terms of "The Tax Rec. Act."

| | (Amt. Reported in 1922) | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|
| Comond Consolidated.. | 20 | | | | | |
| Enchant Consolidated.. | 47 | | | | | |
| Travers Village | 3096 | | | | | |
| Totals..... | | | | | | |

| Location of Expenditure | | Expenditure on Public Works | | | |
|-------------------------|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| | | Labor | Machinery and Repairs | Material | Total |
| Division 1..... | | 397 50 | | 66 66 | 464 16 |
| " 2..... | | 226 35 | 12 35 | 60 60 | 299 30 |
| " 3..... | | 228 39 | | 60 67 | 289 06 |
| " 4..... | | 292 46 | | 60 67 | 353 13 |
| " 5..... | | 359 81 | 36 90 | 60 67 | 457 38 |
| " 6..... | | 365 92 | | 66 67 | 432 59 |
| Totals..... | | 1,870 46 | 39 25 | 400 00 | 2,309 71 |

Statement of Expenditure for Destruction of Pests (Under Sec. 106b, M.D. Act)

| Purpose & Nature of Expenditure | Total Amount Expended by Dis. During 1922 | | Expended by District Not Chargeable to Land | | Expended by District Chargeable to Land | | Total Amount Chargeable to Land Including Penalty | Amount Repaid to District | Cancellations | Amt. Outstanding Includ. Prev. Years | | |
|---------------------------------|---|--------|---|----------|---|-----------|---|---------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|---------------|--------|
| | Amount | Acres | Amount | Per Acre | Amount | Acres | | | | | Cost Per Acre | |
| Poisoning Grasshoppers..... | 879 40 | 788 27 | 172,416 30 | 00.5 | 265 13 | 15,391 51 | 01.7 | 98 86 | 363 99 | 75 66 | 01 | 288 92 |
| Poisoning Gophers (1921) | 171 00 | | | | | | | | | | | |

REMARKS:—There is an amount owing to the Department of Agriculture for material for grasshopper bait which would bring the cost per acre, not chargeable to land, to 1.06 cents per acre.

The poisoning of gophers by the Municipal District was suspended in 1922.

REMARKS:—There is an amount owing to the Department of Agriculture for material for grasshopper bait which would bring the cost per acre, not chargeable to land, to 1.05 cents per acre.
The poisoning of gophers by the Municipal District was suspended in 1922.

Statement of Seed Grain, Feed and Relief Advances

| Seed Grain..... | 30,000 00 | 31,583 40 | 119,136 17 | 180,722 57 | 55,039 63 | 180,722 57 | 20,467 73 | 131,250 20 | 162,021 97 | 2,474 73 | 130,547 24 | 1,978 56 | 195 74 |
|----------------------|-----------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|----------|------------|----------|--------|
| Feed and Relief..... | 30,000 00 | 31,533 80 | 23,515 83 | 55,039 63 | 55,039 63 | 55,039 63 | 36,740 41 | 25,978 72 | 66,357 67 | 1,885 37 | 61,472 30 | 3,309 21 | 38 88 |
| Totals | 60,000 00 | 63,117 20 | 172,652 00 | 235,762 20 | 235,762 20 | 235,762 20 | 57,208 14 | 157,307 92 | 228,379 64 | 4,360 10 | 221,019 54 | 5,287 77 | 234 62 |

PATRIOTIC TAXES (1917)

| | |
|--|--------|
| Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1921 | 169 39 |
| Penalties Added in 1922 | 5 64 |
| Total Due | 175 03 |
| Total Collected in 1922 | 44 33 |
| Exemptions and Cancellations | 4 66 |
| Total Uncollected at Dec. 31, 1922 | 126 04 |
| Total Amount Paid Fund in 1922 | 550 53 |
| Bal. Due Fund at Dec. 31, 1922 Includ. Prev. Years | 13 66 |

Report Remuneration of Councilors for Supervision of Roads (Sec. 74, Par. 2, M.D. Act)

| No. of Division | Name of Councilor | Days Engaged | Rate Per Day | Amount Due | Miles Travelled | Rate Per Mile | Amount Due | Total Due | Amount Paid During Year | Balance Owning at Dec. 31, 1922 | Meetings | | | Mileage | | | Previous Years | Amount Paid During Year | Balance Owning at Dec. 31, 1922 |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|-----------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|------|--------|---------|------|--------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | No. | Rate | Amount | No. | Rate | Amount | | | |
| Division 1..... | Wighton, Geo..... | 10 | 4 00 | 40 00 | 206 | 10 | 20 60 | 60 60 | 60 60 | | 11 | 4 00 | 44 00 | 270 | 10 | 27 00 | 71 00 | 65 50 | 5 50 |
| " 2..... | Buhlinger, A. G..... | 8 | 4 00 | 32 00 | 250 | 10 | 25 00 | 57 00 | 57 00 | | 12 | 4 00 | 48 00 | 350 | 10 | 35 00 | 83 00 | 78 00 | 13 00 |
| " 3..... | Talbot, G. W..... | 61 | 4 00 | 246 00 | 159 | 10 | 15 90 | 31 80 | 31 80 | | 12 | 4 00 | 48 00 | 568 | 10 | 56 80 | 84 60 | 84 60 | |
| " 4..... | Hornberger, G..... | 4 | 4 00 | 16 00 | 150 | 10 | 15 00 | 31 00 | 31 00 | | 13 | 4 00 | 52 00 | 314 | 10 | 31 40 | 83 40 | 83 40 | |
| " 5..... | Rodgers, J..... | 8 | 4 00 | 32 00 | 110 | 10 | 11 00 | 43 00 | 43 00 | | 13 | 5 00 | 65 00 | 183 | 10 | 18 30 | 83 30 | 83 30 | |
| " 6..... | McPherson, W. J..... | 7 | 4 00 | 28 00 | 116 | 10 | 11 60 | 39 60 | 39 60 | | 6 | 4 00 | 24 00 | 63 | 10 | 6 30 | 30 30 | 30 30 | |
| " 1..... | Hobberstad, I..... | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 00 | 2 00 | 76 | 10 | 7 60 | 23 40 | 23 40 | |
| " 6..... | Barnett, E. R..... | | | | | | | | | | 6 | 4 00 | 24 00 | 21 | 10 | 2 40 | 34 40 | 34 40 | |
| Totals..... | | 431 | 4 00 | 171 00 | 921 | 10 | 92 10 | 263 10 | 263 10 | | (13-5 00-62) | 4 00 | 313 00 | 1646 | 10 | 164 60 | 493 40 | 474 90 | 18 50 |

Indemnity Council Meetings and Mileage (Sec. 71, Par. 1, M.D. Act)

| No. of Division | Name of Councilor | Days Engaged | Rate Per Day | Amount Due | Miles Travelled | Rate Per Mile | Amount Due | Total Due | Amount Paid During Year | Balance Owning at Dec. 31, 1922 | Meetings | | | Mileage | | | Previous Years | Amount Paid During Year | Balance Owning at Dec. 31, 1922 |
|-----------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|-----------------|---------------|------------|-----------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|------|--------|---------|------|--------|----------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | | | | | | | | | | | No. | Rate | Amount | No. | Rate | Amount | | | |
| Division 1..... | Wighton, Geo..... | 10 | 4 00 | 40 00 | 206 | 10 | 20 60 | 60 60 | 60 60 | | 11 | 4 00 | 44 00 | 270 | 10 | 27 00 | 71 00 | 65 50 | 5 50 |
| " 2..... | Buhlinger, A. G..... | 8 | 4 00 | 32 00 | 250 | 10 | 25 00 | 57 00 | 57 00 | | 12 | 4 00 | 48 00 | 350 | 10 | 35 00 | 83 00 | 78 00 | 13 00 |
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| " 4..... | Hornberger, G..... | 4 | 4 00 | 16 00 | 150 | 10 | 15 00 | 31 00 | 31 00 | | 13 | 4 00 | 52 00 | 314 | 10 | 31 40 | 83 40 | 83 40 | |
| " 5..... | Rodgers, J..... | 8 | 4 00 | 32 00 | 110 | 10 | 11 00 | 43 00 | 43 00 | | 13 | 5 00 | 65 00 | 183 | 10 | 18 30 | 83 30 | 83 30 | |
| " 6..... | McPherson, W. J..... | 7 | 4 00 | 28 00 | 116 | 10 | 11 60 | 39 60 | 39 60 | | 6 | 4 00 | 24 00 | 63 | 10 | 6 30 | 30 30 | 30 30 | |
| " 1..... | Hobberstad, I..... | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 00 | 2 00 | 76 | 10 | 7 60 | 23 40 | 23 40 | |
| " 6..... | Barnett, E. R..... | | | | | | | | | | 6 | 4 00 | 24 00 | 21 | 10 | 2 40 | 34 40 | 34 40 | |
| Totals..... | | 431 | 4 00 | 171 00 | 921 | 10 | 92 10 | 263 10 | 263 10 | | (13-5 00-62) | 4 00 | 313 00 | 1646 | 10 | 164 60 | 493 40 | 474 90 | 18 50 |

LOCALETS

It looked like a general exodus from Lomond on the train going out Saturday morning, the 10th:—

Mrs. Teskey and Willie and Helen left for their new home at Calgary.

H. Erskine left to spend the week in Calgary as Lomond's representative to the I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge. He was accompanied by Mrs. Erskine and Mrs. E. R. Barnett.

Mrs. W. A. Smith, Lomond's delegate to the Rebekah Assembly, went to Calgary to attend the sessions in connection with the event.

Mrs. L. H. Phillips went to Calgary to spend a week or so visiting relatives and incidentally to attend the sessions of the Rebekah Assembly.

Mrs. H. E. Elves went to the city to spend the week and to look after some household effects left there last fall.

The Lomond U. F. W. A. held its last regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Newton. Nine members were present. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Hartwick on Friday, March 2nd.

The bitterness of low quality lasts long after the sweetness of low price has been forgotten.

After a month of very mild the weather vendor changed his temper and produced a most change. Starting with cold and snow, it grew into cold, snow and furious wind. Blizzard followed after blizzard until roads became nearly impassable for horses and out of the question for cars. The snow drifted off the level lands into the hollows, so when a calm spell did arrive the outside stock could rustle a few projecting thistle tops. The cold snap was a welcome change for the coal miners and diggers. Mining centres reported a rush of orders that awakened stagnant production to a volume of full capacity. It is surprising how few heat units there appear to

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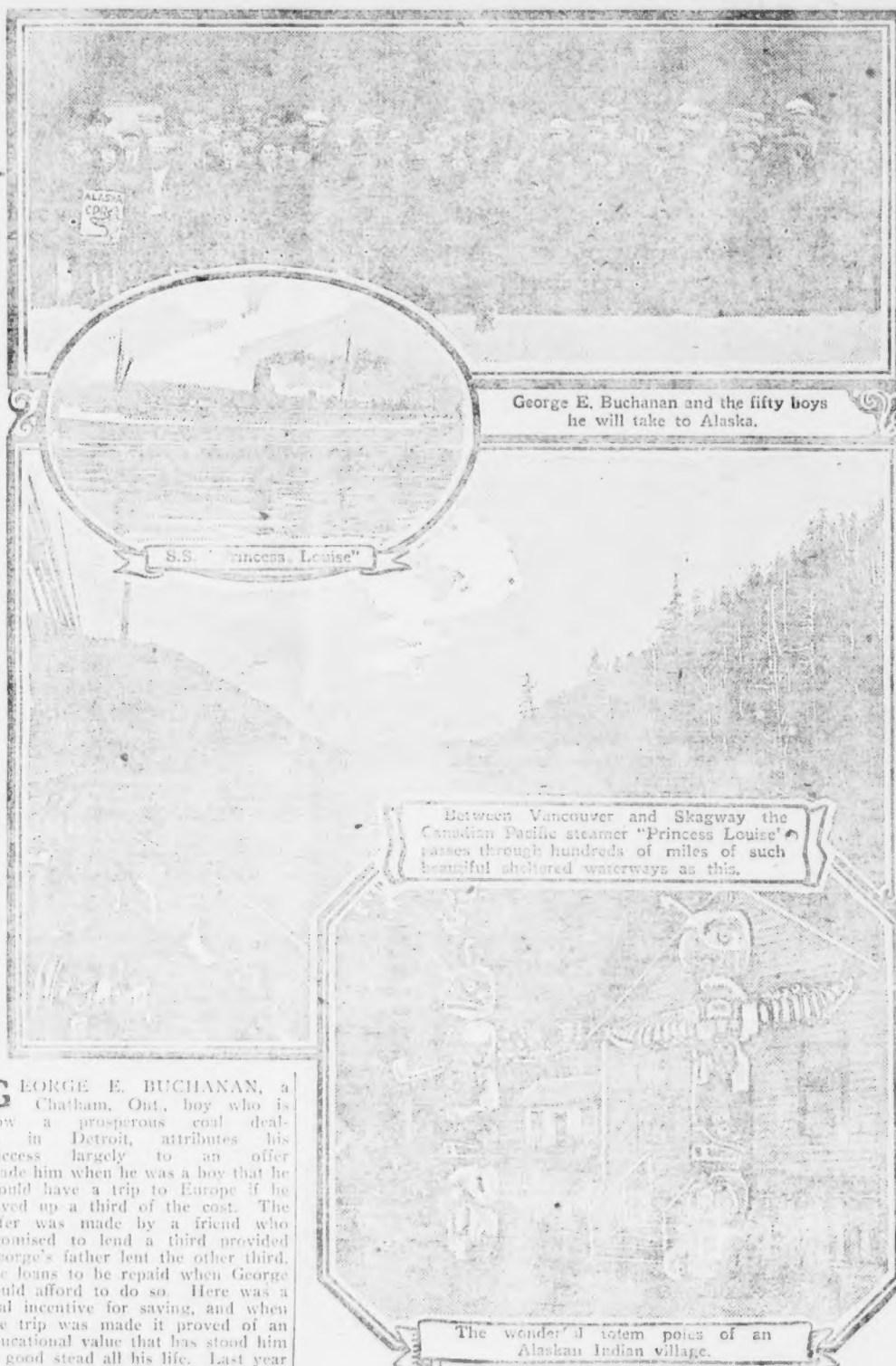
N.G., Mrs. Alice Erskine.
V.G., Mrs. Dolly Benson.
R.S., Mrs. Helen Williamson P.N.C.
F.S., Mrs. H. C. Manning, P.N.C.
Treas., Mrs. Vera Munro.
D.D.P., Mrs. Jennie Teskey.

be in a ton of coal when the thermometer is registering 40 below zero. Reports from all over the West gave accounts of paralyzed train service and most excellent conditions for making ice. In some cases the trains

were tied up entirely and passengers taken to main centres with horses and sleds. As for Lomond, everybody that was on good terms with his wife stayed as close to the oven door as circumstances would

permit. Business was null and void, even though all movements were swift enough. The pleasant change from then to now is likened to an innocent-faced mchm, making no apologies for past misdemeanors.

A BOYS' PILGRIMAGE TO ALASKA



GEORGE E. BUCHANAN, a Chatham, Ont., boy who is now a prosperous coal dealer in Detroit, attributes his success largely to an offer made him when he was a boy that he would have a trip to Europe if he saved up a third of the cost. The offer was made by a friend who promised to lend a third provided George's father lent the other third, the loans to be repaid when George could afford to do so. Here was a real incentive for saving, and when the trip was made it proved of an educational value that has stood him in good stead all his life. Last year Mr. Buchanan made a trip to Alaska, and the idea occurred to him of making the same kind of offer to other boys that he had himself enjoyed in his own youth. But the trip should be to Alaska and not to Europe. As soon as he made the announcement, he was inundated with applications, and a large party of Detroit boys has already been booked to sail from Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific steamer "Princess Louise" on July 14th. Mr. Buchanan will personally conduct the tour which he is thus helping to finance. He says that such a trip would have been worth \$50,000 to him if he had taken it him-

self in his own boyhood because of its educational and broadening influences.

The Rev. Lynn Harold Hough, pastor of the Central Methodist Church, William Livingstone, president of the Dime Savings Bank, and Circuit Judge Joseph A. Moynihan have endorsed Buchanan's scheme as an unusual opportunity for boys to learn the value of thrift and industry. But the trip will have still other benefits, as Mr. Buchanan has said. These lads cannot cross the continent and take that wonderful trip up the island-sheltered waters of the Pa-

cific Coast without its having a tremendously stimulating effect upon their imagination, and upon their future modes of thought and life. From Vancouver up to Skagway and back is a nine-day trip that can never be forgotten. The yacht-like "Princess Louise" glides over a still sea among countless islands that rise forest-clad or mountainous on either side against a snow line of snow-capped mountain peaks. The Indian villages of Alaska with their totem poles are unique, and they too will have a special charm for these fifty fortunate boys.